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# **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

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Fifty-first Day

The House of Representatives meets at the State House in Providence, Tuesday, May 16, 2006 and is called to order at 4:20 o'clock P.M., by the Honorable William J. Murphy, Speaker.

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 72 members present and 3 members absent as follows:

PRESENT - 72: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Anguilla, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Davey, Dennigan, DeSimone, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Faria, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Landroche, Laroche, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, McCauley, McHugh, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Moran, Moura, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Shanley, Singleton, Slater, Smith, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Wasylyk, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

ABSENT – 3: Representatives Crowley, Scott, Voccola.

#### **INVOCATION**

The Honorable Speaker presents Representative Moffitt who delivers the Invocation and leads the membership in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

(For Invocation, see Appendix, this Journal.)

#### APPROVAL OF RECORD

By unanimous consent, the House Journal of Thursday, May 11, 2006 is approved as printed.

# REPORTS OF COMMITTEE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Representative Costantino, for the Committee on Finance, reports back the following measures, with recommendation of passage:

#### House Bill No. 7200

BY Lewiss, McNamara, Long, McHugh, Carter

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO AIRPORTS AND LANDING FIELDS (reimburse municipalities for the cost of municipal services provided at state airports in accordance with applicable federal regulations) {LC1871/1}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### House Bill No. 7732

BY Carter, Landroche, Gallison, Jacquard, Shanley

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO NAMING THE NEW FRENCHTOWN ROAD BRIDGE ("Captain Matthew J. August Memorial Bridge") {LC2014/1} 05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### House Bill No. 7763

BY Carter, Landroche, Gallison, Jacquard, Shanley

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO DAYS OF SPECIAL OBSERVANCE -- GOLD STAR PARENTS DAY (establish February 16th as "Gold Star Parents Day") {LC2625/1} 05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### House Bill No. 7932

BY Shanley, Caprio D, Lally, McHugh

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT PERMITTING THE TOWN OF SOUTH KINGSTOWN TO EXEMPT CERTAIN PROPERTIES FROM TAXATION (permit the town council of the town of South Kingstown to exempt from taxation certain real and personal property used for manufacturing or commercial l purposes) {LC2836/1}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### House Bill No. 6740

BY Lewiss, Kennedy, McHugh

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION (town council of Westerly to increase the tax exemptions for veterans, the widows or widowers of veterans, service connected totally disabled veterans, veterans with specially adapted housing, gold star parents, prisoners of war, and the blind) {LC245/1}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### House Bill No. 7053

**BY** Rice, Jackson, Crowley

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF NEWPORT TO FINANCE THE DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, REPAIR, REHABILITATION AND IMPROVEMENT OF STREETS AND SIDEWALKS IN THE CITY, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES, LANDSCAPING AND CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT

BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$12,000,000 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR {LC1490/1} 05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

## House Bill No. 7980

BY Coderre E, San Bento, Kilmartin, Dennigan, Rose

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION OF BRIDGES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008 {LC2947/1} 05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### House Bill No. 8003

BY Ginaitt, Naughton, Flaherty, Gemma, McNamara

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF WARWICK TO ISSUE BONDS AND NOTES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$3,500,000 FOR THE REPAIR AND RENOVATION OF PARKS AND RECREATIONAL FACILITIES {LC2998/1} 05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### House Bill No. 7998

BY Flaherty, Ginaitt, Naughton, Gemma, Trillo

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF WARWICK TO ISSUE BONDS AND NOTES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$2,000,000 FOR THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF A FIRE STATION IN THE POTOWOMUT SECTION OF THE CITY OF WARWICK {LC3008/1} 05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### House Bill No. 8097

BY Shanley, Lally, McHugh, Caprio D

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF SOUTH KINGSTOWN TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION OF LAND FOR OPEN SPACE, RECREATION AND AGRICULTURAL PURPOSES AND TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$3,000,000 BONDS THEREFOR {LC3220/1}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### House Bill No. 8096

BY Shanley, Lally, McHugh, Caprio D

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF SOUTH KINGSTOWN TO FINANCE CAPITAL TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS AND TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$400,000 BONDS THEREFOR {LC3219/1} 05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### House Bill No. 8095

BY Shanley, Lally, Caprio D

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF SOUTH KINGSTOWN TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION OF LAND AND/OR CONSTRUCTION OF A COMMUNITY GYMNASIUM AND TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$1,600,000 BONDS THEREFOR {LC3218/1}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### House Bill No. 8094

BY Shanley, Lally, McHugh, Caprio D

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF SOUTH KINGSTOWN TO FINANCE NEIGHBORHOOD GUILD IMPROVEMENTS AND TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$1,000,000 BONDS THEREFOR {LC3217/1}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### House Bill No. 7985

BY Coderre E, San Bento, Kilmartin, Dennigan, Rose

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF THE SEWER AND SANITATION SYSTEM IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$300,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008 {LC2953/1}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### House Bill No. 6976 SUB A

**BY** Church

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (provide tax stabilization for qualified persons age sixty-five and over) {LC923/1/A} 05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

## House Bill No. 7194 SUB A

**BY** Pacheco, Church

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PASCOAG UTILITY DISTRICT (amending and adding certain definitions as well as a vice chairperson and creating a tax exemption) {LC1999/1/A}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### House Bill No. 7982 SUB A

BY Coderre E, San Bento, Kilmartin, Dennigan, Rose

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF AN ANIMAL SHELTER IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008 {LC2948/1/A}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

House Bill No. 7983 SUB A

BY Coderre E, San Bento, Kilmartin, Dennigan, Rose

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF STREETS AND SIDEWALKS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008 {LC2949/1/A}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### House Bill No. 7987 SUB A

BY Coderre E, San Bento, Kilmartin, Dennigan, Rose

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPROVEMENT AND REPLACEMENT OF TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008 {LC2951/2/A}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### House Bill No. 7984 SUB A

BY Coderre E, San Bento, Kilmartin, Dennigan, Rose

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDINGS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$3,000,000 BONDS, NOTES AND OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008 {LC2950/2/A} 05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

# House Bill No. 7986 SUB A

BY Coderre E, San Bento, Kilmartin, Dennigan, Rose

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND RECONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC RECREATION FACILITIES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$600,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008 {LC2952/1/A} 05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### House Bill No. 7981 SUB A

BY Coderre E, Rose, San Bento, Dennigan, Kilmartin

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND IMPROVEMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$700,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008 {LC2954/1/A}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### Senate Bill No. 3023

BY Doyle, McBurney, Issa, DaPonte

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND IMPROVEMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$700,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008 {LC2965/1}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### Senate Bill No. 3026

BY Doyle, McBurney, Issa, DaPonte

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF AN ANIMAL SHELTER IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008 {LC2964/1}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### Senate Bill No. 3027

BY Doyle, McBurney, Issa, DaPonte

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF STREETS AND SIDEWALKS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008 {LC2958/1}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### Senate Bill No. 3024

BY Doyle, McBurney, Issa, DaPonte

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDINGS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$3,000,000 BONDS, NOTES AND OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008 {LC2959/1}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 3025 as amended

BY Doyle, McBurney, Issa, DaPonte

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPROVEMENT AND REPLACEMENT OF TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008 {LC2961/1}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### Senate Bill No. 3022 as amended

BY Doyle, McBurney, Issa, DaPonte

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND RECONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC RECREATION FACILITIES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$600,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008 {LC2962/1} 05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### Senate Bill No. 3021

BY Doyle, McBurney, Issa, DaPonte

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION OF BRIDGES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008 {LC2960/1} 05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### Senate Bill No. 3044

BY Revens, McCaffrey, Walaska, Roberts, Raptakis

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF WARWICK TO ISSUE BONDS AND NOTES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$3,500,000 FOR THE REPAIR AND RENOVATION OF PARKS AND RECREATIONAL FACILITIES {LC2999/1} 05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### Senate Bill No. 3043

BY Revens, McCaffrey, Walaska, Roberts, Raptakis

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF WARWICK TO ISSUE BONDS AND NOTES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$2,000,000 FOR OPEN SPACE PURPOSES {LC3120/1}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### Senate Bill No. 3042

**BY** Revens, McCaffrey, Walaska, Roberts, Raptakis

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF WARWICK TO ISSUE BONDS AND NOTES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$2,000,000 FOR THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF A FIRE STATION IN THE POTOWOMUT SECTION OF THE CITY OF WARWICK {LC3006/1}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### Senate Bill No. 2993

BY Doyle, McBurney, Issa, DaPonte

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PAWTUCKET (increase the limit on the property tax rates on commercial and industrial property in the city of Pawtucket) {LC2885/1}

05/16/2006 Placed on House Calendar

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### House Bill No. 8104

**BY** Malik

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES - TOWN OF WARREN {LC3183/1} 05/16/2006 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

House Bill No. 8105

BY Rose, Dennigan, Melo, Savage, Moura

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY -- DOGS {LC3225/1}

05/16/2006 Introduced, referred to House H.E.W.

#### House Bill No. 8106

BY Amaral, Jacquard, Loughlin, Lally, Long

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSE -- WEAPONS {LC3228/1} 05/16/2006 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

#### House Bill No. 8107

**BY** Winfield, Petrarca

 $\textbf{ENTITLED}, \text{ AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - RETIREMENT OF MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES {LC3215/1}$ 

05/16/2006 Introduced, referred to House Finance

#### House Bill No. 8108

**BY** Mumford

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITIONS AND RENOVATIONS TO THE SCITUATE MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL COMPLEX AND AUTHORIZING FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$5,000,000 IN BONDS THEREFOR {LC3216/1} 05/16/2006 Introduced, referred to House Finance

#### House Bill No. 8109

BY Flaherty, McNamara, Naughton, Gemma, Ginaitt

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF WARWICK TO ISSUE BONDS AND NOTES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$7,000,000 FOR THE REHABILITATION OF THE MICKEY STEVENS SPORTS COMPLEX {LC3206/1}

05/16/2006 Introduced, referred to House Finance

#### House Bill No. 8110

BY Flaherty, McNamara, Naughton, Gemma, Ginaitt

 ${\bf ENTITLED}, \ \ {\bf AN\ ACT\ AUTHORIZING\ THE\ CITY\ OF\ WARWICK\ TO\ ISSUE\ BONDS\ AND\ NOTES\ IN\ AN\ AMOUNT\ NOT\ TO\ EXCEED\ $25,000,000\ FOR\ THE\ REPAIR\ AND\ RENOVATION\ OF\ SCHOOL\ FACILITIES\ \{LC3199/1\}$ 

05/16/2006 Introduced, referred to House Finance

#### **House Resolution** No. 8111

BY Fox, Gorham

**ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION EXTENDING CONGRATULATIONS {LC3259/1}

Representative Fox requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Fox seconded by Representative Gorham by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

#### House Resolution No. 8112

**BY** Fox. Gorham

**ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES {LC3260/1}

Representative Fox requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Fox seconded by Representative Gorham by unanimous consent, on a rising vote.

#### **House Resolution** No. 8113

**BY** Singleton

**ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING SISTER MARIETTA WALSH, RSM ON BEING HONORED

**BY** SENIOR SERVICES, INC. AS THEIR "OUTSTANDING SENIOR ADVOCATE" FOR 2006 {LC3237/1}

Representative Singleton requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Singleton seconded by Representatives McNamara, Menard, Naughton and Mumford by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

#### **House Resolution** No. 8114

BY Dennigan, Davey, Slater, Schadone

**ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 2006 TO BE "LUNG CANCER AWARENESS MONTH" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND {LC3177/1}

Representative Dennigan requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Dennigan seconded by Representatives Davey, Naughton, Giannini, Ehrhardt, Rose, McNamara, Malik, O'Neill, Moura and Kilmartin by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

#### **COMMUNICATION FROM THE SENATE**

A message from the Honorable Senate transmits with announcement of passage, of the following measures:

Senate Bill No. 2748 SUB A as amended

BY Levesque C

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES (amend several sections relating to Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) testing and counseling relating to, but not limited to, indigent individuals and other individuals without health insurance coverage) {LC1630/1/A}

05/16/2006 Referred to the House H.E.W.

Senate Bill No. 2739

**BY** Walaska

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE (amend article 7 of the uniform commercial code regarding documents of title and would also make various technical amendments to the uniform commercial code) {LC1066/1} 05/16/2006 Referred to House Corporations

Senate Bill No. 2731 SUB A

BY Walaska

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS (create the Uniform Debt-Management Services Act.) {LC1392/1/A} 05/16/2006 Referred to House Corporations

Senate Bill No. 2177 SUB A

BY Ciccone, Badeau, McCaffrey, Alves, Pichardo

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ORTHOTICS AND PROSTHETICS (provide for the licensure of orthotists and prosthetists, and would provide penalties for unauthorized practices in order to regulate the practices and protect the public) {LC753/1/A} 05/16/2006 Referred to House Corporations

Senate Bill No. 2877 SUB A as amended

**BY** Walaska

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS (revise the personal injury and property damage insurance requirements of the owners of taxicabs, limited public motor vehicles, and jitneys operating in the state to require an insurance policy that provides for indemnity) {LC2611/1/A}

05/16/2006 Referred to House Corporations

Senate Bill No. 2758 SUB A

**BY** Gallo

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO POST-PAYMENT AUDIT RESTRICTIONS (limit to a period of 12 months the time a health insurer could audit a health care provider for purposes of recoupment or an off-set of previous payments) {LC1471/1/A} 05/16/2006 Referred to House Corporations

Senate Bill No. 2497 SUB A as amended

BY Sheehan, Sosnowski, Lenihan, Roberts, Breene

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION (require and set guidelines and standards for evaluation of the natural resource values of state properties prior to conveyance or other change in use) {LC336/3/A} 05/16/2006 Referred to House Environment and Natural Resources

Senate Bill No. 2844 SUB A as amended

BY Roberts, Walaska, Bates

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- ENERGY AND CONSUMER SAVINGS ACT OF 2006 (establish minimum energy and consumer by setting efficiency standards from certain products sold in the state) {LC2555/1/A} 05/16/2006 Referred to House Environment and Natural Resources

Senate Bill No. 2953 as amended

BY Alves, McBurney, McCaffrey, Goodwin, Walaska

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- HISTORIC STRUCTURES - TAX CREDIT (additional information be provided in an application for a historic tax credit and that the information be available to the public) {LC2800/1}

05/16/2006 Referred to House Finance

Senate Bill No. 2377 SUB A

BY Perry, Goodwin, Tassoni, McCaffrey, Gallo

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES (annual redetermination of eligibility for children, families and pregnant women recipients of medical assistance benefits, including recipients who receive cash assistance benefits from the family independence program) {LC1925/1/A}

05/16/2006 Referred to House Finance

Senate Bill No. 2879 as amended

BY Ciccone, Lanzi, Connors, Polisena, Ruggerio

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- OPEN MEETINGS

05/16/2006 Referred to House Judiciary

Senate Bill No. 2189 SUB A as amended (Attorney General)

BY Felag, Sosnowski, Damiani, Polisena

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO REGULATION OF SALES (clarify the definitions, violations and penalties for furnishing and procuring alcoholic beverages to underage persons) {LC646/2/A}

05/16/2006 Referred to House Judiciary

Senate Bill No. 2696 SUB A

BY Sosnowski, Roberts, Perry, Gibbs, Pichardo

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION {LC1918/1/A}

05/16/2006 Referred to House H.E.W.

**Senate Bill** No. 2615 SUB A as amended (Lieutenant Governor)

BY Paiva-Weed, Goodwin, Roberts, Levesque C, Perry

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LONG-TERM HEALTH CARE (changes in the reporting requirements under the long-term health care ombudsperson act.) {LC1897/1/A} 05/16/2006 Referred to House H.E.W.

Senate Bill No. 2489 SUB A

BY Paiva-Weed, Issa, Sosnowski, Gallo, Breene

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- TRANSPORTATION OF PUPILS BEYOND CITY AND TOWN LIMITS (provide that the dept of elementary and secondary education plan, develop, create and implement a statewide system of transportation of students with special needs) {LC2001/1/A}

05/16/2006 Referred to House H.E.W.

#### **CALENDAR**

From the Calendar are taken:

# IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, MAY 16, 2006:

#### 1 2006-H 7395 SUB A

**BY Schadone** 

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS -- CONFIDENTIALITY OF HEALTH CARE COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Read, and by unanimous consent, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Wednesday, May 24, 2006.

#### 2 2006-H 7018

BY Giannini

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE

Committee on Corporations recommends passage.

Read, and by unanimous consent, ordered to be placed on the bottom of the Calendar as item 9A.

#### 3 <u>2006-H 7105 SUB A</u>

**BY Carter** 

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- REGULATION OF SALES

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Majority Leader Fox moves to recommit (06H 7105 Sub A), seconded by Representative Kennedy.

Read and recommitted to the Committee on Corporations.

#### 4 2006-H 7148 SUB A

BY Rice

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW - GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Rice, Gallison, Ajello, Church, Gemma, Lima and Naughton.

Representative Kennedy, seconded by Representatives Rice, McNamara and Kilmartin offers a written motion to amend.

# FLOOR AMENDMENT TO 2006 -- H 7148 SUBSTITUTE A

AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW - GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS

#### Mr. Speaker:

I hereby move to amend 2006 -- H 7148 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW - GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS", as follows:

1. On page 2, line 33, by deleting the language "a written or telephone request".

2. On page 2, line 34, by deleting the language "or three (3) business days after receiving, from the consumer".

Respectfully submitted,

REPRESENTATIVE KENNEDY

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LC01484/4

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Representative Kennedy discusses the amendment.

The motion to amend prevails on a roll call vote 57 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 57: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Anguilla, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Costantino, Davey, Dennigan, Ehrhardt, Faria, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Handy, Jackson, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Landroche, Laroche, Lewiss, Lima, Malik, McHugh, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Moran, Moura, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Shanley, Singleton, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Watson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

Representatives Gemma, Rice and Gorham discuss the act, as amended.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, as amended, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 64 members voting in the affirmative and 2 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 64 The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Anguilla, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Costantino, Davey, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Faria, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Landroche, Laroche, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, McCauley, McHugh, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Moran, Moura, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Picard, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Shanley, Singleton, Slater, Smith, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Williams, Williamson.

NAYS - 2: Representatives Gorham, Watson.

#### **REQUEST**

Representative Corvese requests the journal to reflect that if he had voted on (06H 7148 Sub A, as amended), he would have voted in the affirmative.

#### 5 2006-H 8045

**BY Melo** 

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- NAMING ALL NEW BUILDINGS, BRIDGES, EDIFICES AND OTHER STATE CONSTRUCTIONS

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Representative Melo moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Rose, Dennigan, Story, Moura, Savage, Gemma and San Bento.

Representatives Moura and Gemma discuss the act.

Read and passed, on a roll call vote, 67 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 67: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Anguilla, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Davey, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Faria, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Landroche, Laroche, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, McCauley, McHugh, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Moran, Moura, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Shanley, Singleton, Slater, Smith, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

#### 6 <u>2006-H 7774</u>

BY Long

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO THE RHODE ISLAND RESOURCE RECOVERY CORPORATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Representative Costantino moves to recommit to the Committee on Finance, seconded by Representative Long.

Read and recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

#### 7 2006-H 7529 SUB A

**BY Pacheco** 

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - CAMPAIGN EXPENDITURES

Committee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Read, and by unanimous consent, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 18, 2006.

#### 8 2006-H 7756 SUB A as amended

BY Sullivan

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- ANTI-IDLING ACT

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A as amended.

Representative Ginaitt moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Gemma, Sullivan, Shanley, Ajello and Handy.

Representative Sullivan, seconded by Representatives Rice, Gemma, Handy, Ginaitt, McNamara, Kilmartin and Palumbo offers a written motion to amend.

# FLOOR AMENDMENT TO 2006 -- H 7756 SUBSTITUTE A AS AMENDED

#### AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- ANTI-IDLING ACT

Mr. Speaker:

I hereby move to amend 2006 -- H 7756 SUBSTITUTE A AS AMENDED, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- ANTI-IDLING ACT", as follows:

By deleting all of the language following the enactment clause and inserting in place thereof the following:

"SECTION 1. Chapter 23-23 of the General Laws entitled "Air Pollution" is hereby amended by adding thereto the following sections:

- 23-23-29.1 Findings of fact. The general assembly hereby finds as follows:
- (a) Motor vehicle exhaust is the largest source of air pollution in Rhode Island, and idling vehicles emit higher concentrations of harmful pollutants than moving vehicles;
- (b) Vehicle exhaust is hazardous to human health. Studies have linked pollution from vehicles to increased rates of cancer, lung and heart disease, asthma and allergies, urban smog and climate change;
- (c) Fine particulate matter in diesel exhaust is particularly harmful to children and seniors. Tiny particles can lodge deep within human lungs, where they can trigger asthma attacks and stunt lung growth in children, and contribute to chronic obstructive pulmonary disorder and heart attacks in seniors;
- (d) Asthma is reaching epidemic proportions in Rhode Island. More than one hundred thousand (100,000) people in Rhode Island have been diagnosed with asthma, including one out of every ten (10) children. Asthma is the most common chronic disease in children and responsible for the most school absences in Rhode Island;
- (e) Vehicle idling waste money. On average, an idling truck burns one gallon of fuel per hour. A locomotive or other heavy duty engine may burn anywhere from three (3) to eleven (11) gallons per hour;
- (f) Excessive idling creates the need for more frequent oil and oil filter changes, and speeds engine wear, reducing the amount of time before an engine needs to be rebuilt;

- (g) Even on the coldest winter days, modern engines need no more than five (5) minutes to warm up; and
- (h) To date, other states including Connecticut and Massachusetts have passed laws that limit the amount of time vehicles are permitted to idle.
- 23-23-29.2 Diesel motor vehicle engine idling. On or before July 1, 2007, the department shall adopt rules governing diesel engine idling to restrict the unnecessary operation of diesel motor vehicle engines. The rules shall be generally consistent with similar restrictions established by law or regulation in Massachusetts and Connecticut and shall provide that no person shall cause, allow or permit the unnecessary operation of the engine of a diesel motor vehicle while said vehicle is stopped for a period of time in excess of five (5) consecutive minutes in any sixty (60) minute period. Unnecessary operation of a diesel motor vehicle shall not include such periods and circumstances as the department, may determine as reasonably requiring that the engine remain idling, which periods may include, but not be limited to, periods when it is necessary for a vehicle to remain motionless due to traffic conditions or at the direction of a law enforcement official; when it is necessary to operate defrosting, heating, or cooling equipment to ensure the health or safety of the driver or passengers or to operate auxiliary equipment; when it is necessary to bring the engine to the manufacturer's recommended operating temperature or when the engine is undergoing maintenance or inspection. The requirements of this section shall not apply to police, fire, rescue, ambulance and other public safety vehicles, military vehicles, armored vehicles that are being loaded or unloaded or are waiting to be loaded or unloaded, non-road vehicles, including farm vehicles, locomotives, aircraft, marine vessels, stationary diesel engines or auxiliary power units, or vehicles making deliveries of fuel or energy products.
- 23-23-29.3 Non-road diesel engine idling. On or before July 1, 2007, the department shall adopt rules governing diesel engine idling to restrict the unnecessary operation of non-road diesel engines. So far as is reasonably feasible, the rules shall provide that no entity shall cause, suffer, allow or permit the unnecessary idling of a non-road diesel engine. Non-road diesel engines to be considered in this rulemaking shall include, but may not be limited to, construction engines, airport ground support equipment, commercial and industrial equipment. Unnecessary idling shall not include such periods and circumstances as the department may determine as reasonably requiring that the engine remain idling, which periods may include, but not be limited to, when airfield maintenance vehicles are being used on a state-owned or operated airport. This provision shall not extend to any diesel powered engine and/or vehicle that must continuously operate while stationary in order to function properly, a vehicle making deliveries of fuel or energy products, or to insure workplace safety.
- <u>23-23-29.4.</u> Sources of diesel pollution. On or before January 1, 2007, the department shall identify sources of diesel pollution in Rhode Island and strategies for reducing pollution from identified sources and report the findings to the governor and general assembly.
- 23-23-29.5. Enforcement. The responsibility and jurisdiction for enforcement of section 23-23-29.1 through section 23-23-29.4 shall be with state and local law enforcement authorities, including, but not limited to, state and local police and parking enforcement personnel, the Rhode Island department of environmental management and the Rhode Island department of motor vehicles.
- SECTION 2. Title 31 of the General Laws entitled "MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES" is hereby amended by adding thereto the following chapter:

# CHAPTER 16.1 IDLING

- <u>31-16.1-1.</u> Purpose. <u>The purposes of this chapter are to protect health and the environment by reducing air emissions and to conserve fuel by restricting the unnecessary operation of diesel engines.</u>
- <u>31-16.1-2. Powers of the department of environmental management. The department of environmental management shall have the power and authority as set forth in section 23-23-29.1 through section 23-23-29.5 to establish rules for engine idling.</u>
- 31-16.1-3. Restrictions on idling for diesel engines. No person shall on or after July 1, 2007, cause, allow or permit the unnecessary operation of the diesel engine vehicle while said vehicle is stopped for a period of time in excess of five (5) consecutive minutes in any sixty (60) minute period unless exempted pursuant to regulations adopted by the department of environmental management. Failure to operate the diesel engine vehicle in conformity with the rules of the department of environmental management adopted pursuant to section 23-23-20.2 shall constitute a violation of this chapter.
- <u>31-16.1-4.</u> Penalties. Any person who violates the provisions of this chapter shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars (\$100) for the first offense, nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500) for each succeeding offense.
- SECTION 3. Section 31-41.1-4 of the General Laws in Chapter 31-41.1 entitled "Adjudication of Traffic Offenses" is hereby amended to read as follows:
- <u>31-41.1-4.</u> Schedule of violations. -- (a) The penalties for violations of the enumerated sections, listed in numerical order, correspond to the fines described. However, those offenses for which punishments which may vary according to the severity of the offense, or punishment which require the violator to perform a service, shall be heard and decided by the traffic tribunal or municipal court. The following violations may be handled administratively through the method prescribed in this chapter. This list is not exclusive and jurisdiction may be conferred on the traffic tribunal with regard to other violations.

	VIOLATIONS SCHEDULE	
8-8.2-2	DOT, DEM, or other agency and department violations	\$75.00
24-10-17	Soliciting rides in motor vehicles	40.00
24-10-18	Backing up prohibited	75.00
24-10-20	Park and ride lots	75.00
31-3-12	Visibility of plates	75.00
31-3-18	Display of plates	75.00
31-2-32	Driving with expired registration	75.00
31-3-34	Failure to notify division of change of address	75.00
31-3-35	Notice of change of name	75.00
31-3-40	Temporary plates - dealer issued	75.00
31-4-3	Temporary registration - twenty (20) day bill of sale	75.00
31-10-10	Rules as to armed forces license	75.00
31-10-30	Driving on expired license	75.00
31-10-32	Notice of change of address	75.00
31-10.1-4	No motorcycle helmet (operator)	60.00
31-10.1-5	Motorcycle handlebar violation	75.00

31-10.1-6	No motorcycle helmet (passenger)	75.00
31-10.1-7	Inspection of motorcycle required	75.00
31-12-12	Local motor vehicle ordinance	75.00
31-13-04	Obedience to devices	75.00
31-13-6(3)(i)	Eluding traffic light	75.00
31-13-09	Flashing signals	75.00
31-13-11	Injury to signs or devices	75.00
31-14-1	Reasonable and prudent speed	85.00
31-14-03	Condition requiring reduced speed	85.00
31-14-09	Below minimum speed	85.00
31-14-12	Speed limit on bridges and structures	85.00
31-15-1	Leaving lane of travel	75.00
31-15-2	Slow traffic to right	75.00
31-15-3	Operator left of center	75.00
31-15-4	Overtaking on left	75.00
31-15-5(a)	Overtaking on right	75.00
31-15-6	Clearance for overtaking	75.00
31-15-7	Places where overtaking prohibited	75.00
31-15-8	No passing zone	75.00
31-15-9	One way highways	75.00
31-15-10	Rotary traffic islands	75.00
31-15-11	Laned roadway violation	75.00
31-15-12	Following too closely	75.00
31-15-12.1	Entering intersection	75.00
31-15-13	Crossing center section of divided highway	75.00
31-15-14	Entering or leaving limited access roadways	75.00
31-15-16	Use of emergency break-down lane for travel	75.00
13-15-17	Crossing bicycle lane	75.00
31-16-1	Care in starting from stop	75.00
31-16-2	Manner of turning at intersection	75.00
31-16-4	U turn where prohibited	75.00
31-16-5	Turn signal required	75.00
31-16-6	Time of signaling turn	75.00
31-16-7	Failure to give stop signal	75.00
31-16-8	Method of giving signals	75.00
<u>31-16.1-3</u>	<u>Diesel vehicle idling rules</u>	
	first offense not to exceed	<u>100.00</u>
	second and subsequent offense not to exceed	<u>500.00</u>
31-17-1	Failure to yield right of way	75.00
31-17-2	Vehicle turning left	75.00
31-17-3	Yield right of way (intersection)	75.00
31-17-4	Obedience to stop signs	75.00
31-17-5	Entering from private road or driveway	75.00
31-17-8	Vehicle within right of way, rotary	75.00
31-17-9	Yielding to bicycles on bicycle lane	75.00
31-18-3	Right of way in crosswalks	75.00

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31-18-5	Crossing other than at crosswalks	75.00
31-18-8	Due care by drivers	75.00
31-18-12	Hitchhiking	75.00
31-18-18	Right of way on sidewalks	75.00
31-19-3	Traffic laws applied to bicycles	75.00
31-19-20	Sale of new bicycles	75.00
31-19-21	Sale of used bicycles	75.00
31-19.1-2	Operating motorized bicycle on an interstate	75.00
	highway	
31-19.2-2	Operating motorized tricycle on an interstate	75.00
	highway	
31-20-1	Failure to stop at railroad crossing	75.00
31-20-2	Driving through railroad gate	75.00
31-20-9	Obedience to stop sign	75.00
31-21-4	Places where parking or stopping prohibited	75.00
31-21-14	Opening of vehicle doors	45.00
31-22-2	Improper backing up	75.00
31-22-4	Overloading vehicle	75.00
31-22-5	Violation of safety zone	75.00
31-22-6	Coasting	75.00
31-22-7	Following fire apparatus	75.00
31-22-8	Crossing fire hose	75.00
31-22-9	Throwing debris on highway - snow removal	175.00
31-22-11.5	Improper use of school bus	not to exceed
		five hundred dollars
		five hundred dollars \$500.00 for each
		\$500.00 for each
	No child restraint	\$500.00 for each day of improper use
31-22-22(a)	No child restraint Child restraint/seat belt but not in any rear	\$500.00 for each day of improper use 75.00
31-22-22(a) 31-22-22(a)	No child restraint Child restraint/seat belt but not in any rear	\$500.00 for each day of improper use
31-22-22(a) 31-22-22(a) seating position	Child restraint/seat belt but not in any rear	\$500.00 for each day of improper use 75.00 75.00
31-22-22(a) 31-22-22(a) seating position 31-22-22(b), (f)	Child restraint/seat belt but not in any rear  No seat belt – passenger	\$500.00 for each day of improper use 75.00 75.00
31-22-22(a) 31-22-22(a) seating position 31-22-22(b), (f) 31-22-22(g)	Child restraint/seat belt but not in any rear  No seat belt – passenger  No seat belt - operator	\$500.00 for each day of improper use 75.00 75.00 75.00
31-22-22(a) 31-22-22(a) seating position 31-22-22(b), (f) 31-22-22(g) 31-22-23	Child restraint/seat belt but not in any rear  No seat belt – passenger No seat belt - operator Tow trucks - proper identification	\$500.00 for each day of improper use 75.00 75.00 75.00 275.00
31-22-22(a) 31-22-22(a) seating position 31-22-22(b), (f) 31-22-22(g) 31-22-23 31-22-24	Child restraint/seat belt but not in any rear  No seat belt – passenger No seat belt - operator Tow trucks - proper identification Operation of interior lights	\$500.00 for each day of improper use 75.00 75.00 75.00 275.00 275.00 75.00
31-22-22(a) 31-22-22(a) seating position 31-22-22(b), (f) 31-22-22(g) 31-22-23	Child restraint/seat belt but not in any rear  No seat belt – passenger No seat belt - operator Tow trucks - proper identification Operation of interior lights U.S. department of transportation motor	\$500.00 for each day of improper use 75.00 75.00 75.00 275.00
31-22-22(a) 31-22-22(a) seating position 31-22-22(b), (f) 31-22-23 31-22-24 31-23-1(d)(2)	Child restraint/seat belt but not in any rear  No seat belt – passenger No seat belt - operator Tow trucks - proper identification Operation of interior lights U.S. department of transportation motor carrier safety rules and regulations	\$500.00 for each day of improper use 75.00 75.00 75.00 275.00 275.00 75.00 125.00
31-22-22(a) 31-22-22(a) seating position 31-22-22(b), (f) 31-22-22(g) 31-22-23 31-22-24 31-23-1(d)(2)	Child restraint/seat belt but not in any rear  No seat belt – passenger No seat belt - operator Tow trucks - proper identification Operation of interior lights U.S. department of transportation motor carrier safety rules and regulations Brake equipment required	\$500.00 for each day of improper use 75.00 75.00 75.00 275.00 275.00 125.00 75.00
31-22-22(a) 31-22-22(a) seating position 31-22-22(b), (f) 31-22-23 31-22-24 31-23-1(d)(2) 31-23-4 31-23-8	Child restraint/seat belt but not in any rear  No seat belt – passenger No seat belt - operator Tow trucks - proper identification Operation of interior lights U.S. department of transportation motor carrier safety rules and regulations Brake equipment required Horn required	\$500.00 for each day of improper use 75.00 75.00 75.00 275.00 275.00 125.00 75.00 75.00
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31	-23-20	Protuberances on tires	75.00
31	-23-26	Fenders and wheel flaps required	75.00
31	-23-27	Rear wheel flaps on buses, trucks and trailers	75.00
31	-23-29	Flares or red flag required over four thousand	75.00
		pounds (4,000 lbs.)	
31	-23-40	Approved types of seat belt requirements 75.00	
31	-23-42.1	Special mirror - school bus	75.00
31	-23-43	Chocks required (1 pair) - over four thousand	75.00
		pounds (4,000 lbs.)	
	-23-45	Tire treads - defective tires	75.00
	-23-47	Slow moving emblem required	75.00
	-23-49	Transportation of gasoline - passenger vehicle	75.00
31	-23-51	Operating bike or motor vehicle wearing ear phones	s 60.00
		(first offense)	
	-24-1	Times when lights required	75.00
	rough		
	24-53	Safety lights required on food vending vehicles	75.00
	-24-5	Headlamp required on motorcycle	75.00
	-24-31	Flashing lights - permit required	75.00
	-24-34	Failure to dim lights	75.00
31	-24-45	Red flag required, load projecting	75.00
21	25.02	four feet (4') rear Maximum width of one hundred and two inches	75.00
31	-25-03		75.00
21	-25-04	(102") exceeded  Maximum height of one hundred sixty-two inches	75.00
31	-23-04	(162") exceeded	73.00
21	-25-06	Maximum number and length of coupled vehicles	500.00
	-25-00 -25-07	Load extending three feet (3') front	75.00
31	-23-07	six feet (6') rear exceeded	73.00
31	-25-9	Leaking load	75.00
	-25-11	Connections between coupled vehicles	75.00
	-25-12	Towing chain, twelve inch (12")	75.00
51	20 12	square flag required	70.00
31	-25-12.1	Tow truck - use of lanes (first offense)	50.00
	-25-14(d)(1)	Maximum weight and tandem	125.00
	- (-)(-)	axles	
31	-25-14(d)(2)	Maximum weight and tandem	125.00
		axles	
31	-25-14(d)(3)	Maximum weight and tandem axles	125.00
		axles	
31	-25-16(c)(1)	Maximum weight shown in registration	65.00 per thousand lbs
			overweight or
			portion thereof.
31	-25-16(c)(2)	Maximum weight shown in registration	125.00 per thousand
			Lbs. overweight or
			portion thereof.

31-25-16(c)(3)	Maximum weight shown in registration	1,025.00 plus \$125.00 per thousand Pounds overweight or portion thereof
31-25-17	Identification of trucks and truck-tractors (first offense)	50.00
31-25-24	Carrying and inspection of excess load limit	175.00
31-27-2.3	Refusal to take preliminary breath test	75.00
31-28-7(d)	Wrongful use of handicapped parking placard	500.00
31-28-7(f)	Handicapped parking space violation:	
21 20 7(1)	First offense	100.00
	Second offense	175.00
	Third offense and subsequent offenses	325.00
		5-5.00
31-28-7.1(e)	Wrongful use of institutional handicapped parking	g placard 125.00
31-33-2	Failure to file accident report	45.00
31-36.1-17	No fuel tax stamp (out-of-state)	75.00
31-38-3	No inspection sticker	75.00
31-38-4	Violation of inspection laws	75.00
31-47.2-06	Heavy-duty vehicle emission inspections:	
	First offense	125.00
	Second offense	525.00
	Third and subsequent offenses	1,025.00
37-15-7	Littering	55.00
39-12-26	Public carriers violation	75.00
	SPEEDING	, , , , ,
SPEEDIN	NG	Fine
(A) One t	to ten miles per hour (1 -10 mph)	
* *	of posted speed limit	\$85.00
	en miles per hour (11 mph) in excess	
	speed limit with a fine of	
	rs (\$10.00) per mile in excess	
	limit to be assessed	195.00
-		minimum

- (b) In addition to any other penalties provided by law, a judge may impose the following penalties for speeding:
- (1) For speeds up to and including ten miles per hour (10 mph) over the posted speed limit on public highways, a fine as provided for in subsection (a) of this section for the first offense, ten dollars (\$10.00) per mile for each mile in excess of the speed limit for the second offense if within twelve (12) months of the first offense, and fifteen dollars (\$15.00) per mile for each mile in excess of the speed limit for the third and any subsequent offense if within twelve (12) months of the first offense. In addition, the license may be suspended up to thirty (30) days.
- (2) For speeds in excess of ten miles per hour (10 mph) over the posted speed limit on public highways, a mandatory fine of ten dollars (\$10.00) for each mile over the speed limit for the first offense, fifteen dollars (\$15.00) per mile for each mile in excess of the speed limit for

the second offense if within twelve (12) months of the first offense, and twenty dollars (\$20.00) per mile for each mile in excess of the speed limit for the third and subsequent offense if within twelve (12) months of the first offense. In addition, the license may be suspended up to sixty (60) days.

(c) Any person charged with a violation who pays the fine administratively pursuant to chapter 8.2 of title 8 shall not be subject to any additional costs or assessments, including, but not limited to, the hearing fee established in section 8-18-4 or assessment for substance abuse prevention.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon passage."

Respectiuity	submitted,

Pagnostfully submitted

REPRESENTATIVE SULLIVAN

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Representatives Watson, Sullivan and Fox discuss the amendment.

Read, and by unanimous consent, ordered to be placed on the top of the Calendar for Wednesday, May 17, 2006.

## 9 <u>2006-H 7257 SUB A</u>

BY Naughton

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- REFUSE DISPOSAL

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Representative Ginaitt moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Naughton, Rice and Lima.

Representative Gorham, seconded by Representative Ehrhardt offers a written motion to amend.

# FLOOR AMENDMENT TO 2006 -- H 7257 SUBSTITUTE A

AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- REFUSE DISPOSAL

Mr. Speaker:

- I hereby move to amend 2006 -- H 7257 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- REFUSE DISPOSAL", as follows:
  - (1) On page 4, between lines 4 and 5, by inserting the following language: "SECTION 2. Chapter 23-18.9 of the general laws entitled Refuse Disposal is hereby

amended by adding thereto the following section:

<u>23-18.9-17. Limiting and prohibiting BUD. – "Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to prevent or proscribe any city or town from regulating or prohibiting any BUD pursuant to chapter 45-24."</u>

(2) On page 4, line 5, by striking the number "2" and inserting in place thereof the number "3".

Respectfully	submitted,
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REPRESENTATIVE	GORHAM	ĺ

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Representatives Gorham and Ginaitt discuss the amendment.

The motion to amend fails on a roll call vote 16 members voting in the affirmative and 47 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 16: Representatives Caprio, Ehrhardt, Laroche, Lima, Long, Loughlin, McManus, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Savage, Singleton, Story, Trillo, Watson, Winfield.

NAYS - 47: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Anguilla, Brien, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Dennigan, Diaz, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Landroche, Lewiss, Malik, McCauley, McHugh, McNamara, Melo, Moran, Moura, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Schadone, Shanley, Slater, Smith, Williams, Williamson.

#### **REQUESTS**

Representative Ucci requests the journal to reflect that if he had voted on the amendment (LC 02309/2), he would have voted in the affirmative.

Representative Lima requests the journal to reflect that she had voted incorrectly on the amendment (LC 02309/2), she should have voted in the negative.

Representative Smith requests the journal to reflect that he had voted incorrectly on the amendment (LC 02309/2), he should have voted in the affirmative

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 65 members voting in the affirmative and 4 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 65: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Anguilla, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Davey, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Landroche, Laroche, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, McCauley, McHugh, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Moran, Moura, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Shanley, Singleton, Slater, Smith, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 4: Representatives Gorham, McManus, Mumford, Watson.

# 9A 2006-H 7018 BY Giannini ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE

Committee on Corporations recommends passage.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Giannini, Ajello, Handy, Rose, Amaral, McNamara, Williams, Petrarca, Naughton, Coderre, Kennedy, Fox, Moura, Gemma and Church.

Representative Kennedy, seconded by Representatives Giannini and McNamara offers a written motion to amend.

# FLOOR AMENDMENT TO 2006 -- H 7018

#### AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE

Mr. Speaker:

- I hereby move to amend 2006 -- H 7018, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE", as follows:
- (1) On page 3, line 4, by inserting after the word "coverage" the words "; provided, however, this chapter shall not apply to insurance coverage providing benefits for: (1) hospital confinement indemnity; (2) disability income; (3) accident only; (4) long-term care; (5) Medicare supplement; (6) limited benefit health; (7) specified disease indemnity; (8) sickness or bodily injury or death by accident or both; and (9) other limited benefit policies".
- (2) On page 3, line 5, by deleting the word "upon passage" and inserting in place thereof the words "on July 1, 2006".
- (3) On page 4, line 3, by deleting the word "upon passage" and inserting in place thereof the word "on July 1, 2006".

Respectfully submitted
REPRESENTATIVE KENNEDY

LC01253/4

Representative Kennedy discusses the amendment.

The motion to amend prevails on a roll call vote 63 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 63: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Anguilla, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Davey, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Ginaitt, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Landroche, Laroche, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, McCauley, McHugh, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Moffitt, Moran, Moura, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Shanley, Singleton, Slater, Smith, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Watson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

#### **REQUEST**

Representative Wasylyk requests the journal to reflect that if he had voted on the amendment (LC 01253/4), he would have voted in the affirmative.

Representatives Giannini, McNamara and Moura discuss the act, as amended.

Read and passed, as amended, on a roll call vote, 69 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 69: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Anguilla, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Church, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Davey, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Faria, Flaherty, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Ginaitt, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Landroche, Laroche, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, McCauley, McHugh, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Moffitt, Moran, Moura, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, Picard, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Shanley, Singleton, Slater, Smith, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Wasylyk, Watson, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

#### TRANSMITTAL

By unanimous consent, all matters on the clerk's desk are ordered to be transmitted to His Excellency, the Governor, to the Honorable Secretary of State, and the Honorable Senate forthwith.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Representative Kennedy announces that the Committee on Corporations will meet today, at the rise of the House, in Room 203 of the State House.

Representative Lally announces that the Committee on Judiciary will meet today, at the rise of the House, in Room 205 of the State House.

Representatives Moura, Gemma and Lima congratulate Representative Smith on being re-elected for President of the Providence Teachers Union. Representative Smith addresses the House.

Representative Lima wishes a Happy Anniversary to Representative Palumbo and his wife Amie Lynn.

#### **GUESTS**

Representative Caprio welcomes back to the House Chamber as a guest former Representative Myrna George.

Representative Church welcome to the House as a guest Joyce Dolbec, Chairwoman of the RI Commission of Women

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

At 5:05 o'clock P.M. on motion of Representatives Gemma, Naughton, Giannini and the entire Warwick Delegation, and as a further mark of respect to the memory of Samuel G. Solomon; on motion of Representative McNamara, and as a further mark of respect to the memories of Maureen F. Clifford and Marianne E. Feeney; on motion of Representative Giannini and as a further mark of respect to the memory of John Trouncy; on motion of Representative Faria, and as a further mark of respect to the memory of Sylvia Cartino seconded by Representatives Fox and Watson the House adjourns, on a unanimous rising vote.

Linda M. McElroy Recording Clerk

# APPENDIX

# INVOCATION

# REPRESENTATIVE VICTOR G. MOFFITT

Heavenly Father, look with favor on our deliberation and assist us by your grace to do what is just and wise. Amen.

#### **APPENDIX**

#### **CALENDAR**

#### **IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 17, 2006:**

#### 1 2006-H 7756 SUB A as amended

**BY Sullivan** 

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- ANTI-IDLING ACT

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A as amended.

#### 2 2006-H 7441 SUB A

BY Jacquard

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- ELECTRICIANS LICENSES

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

### 3 <u>2006-H 7455 SUB A</u>

BY Kilmartin

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICES AND EMPLOYEES -- PUBLIC ACCOUNTABILITY AND REFORM

Committee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

#### 4 2006-H 6874

BY Kilmartin

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS

Committee on Separation of Powers recommends passage.

#### 5 <u>2006-H 7113</u>

BY Moran

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- WEAPONS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

#### IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, MAY 18, 2006:

#### 1 2006-H 7529 SUB A

**BY Pacheco** 

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - CAMPAIGN EXPENDITURES

Committee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

#### 2 2006-H 7842 SUB A

**BY Ginaitt** 

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

## 3 2006-H 7815 SUB A

**BY McCauley** 

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS -- LENDERS AND LOAN BROKERS

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

#### 4 2006-H 7020

BY Giannini

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE -- ORTHOTIC AND PROSTHETIC SERVICES

Committee on Corporations recommends passage.

# 5 2006-H 7577 SUB A

**BY Corvese** 

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

#### 6 2006-H 7610 SUB A

**BY Handy** 

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- ENERGY AND CONSUMER SAVINGS ACT OF 2006

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

# 7 <u>2006-H 7344 SUB A</u>

**BY** Long

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

#### 8 <u>2006-H 7106</u>

**BY Moran** 

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- SEARCH WARRANTS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

#### 9 2006-H 7200

**BY** Lewiss

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO AIRPORTS AND LANDING FIELDS

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

#### 10 2006-H 7732

**BY Carter** 

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO NAMING THE NEW FRENCHTOWN ROAD BRIDGE

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

#### 11 <u>2006-H 7763</u>

**BY Carter** 

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO DAYS OF SPECIAL OBSERVANCE -- GOLD STAR PARENTS DAY

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

#### 12 2006-H 7932

**BY Shanley** 

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT PERMITTING THE TOWN OF SOUTH KINGSTOWN TO EXEMPT CERTAIN PROPERTIES FROM TAXATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

## 13 2006-H 6740

**BY** Lewiss

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

#### 14 2006-H 7053

**BY Rice** 

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF NEWPORT TO FINANCE THE DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, REPAIR, REHABILITATION AND IMPROVEMENT OF STREETS AND SIDEWALKS IN THE CITY, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES, LANDSCAPING AND CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT SERVICES, BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$12,000,000 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

#### 15 2006-H 7980

BY Coderre E

ENTITLED. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION OF BRIDGES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

#### 16 2006-H 8003

**BY Ginaitt** 

ENTITLED. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF WARWICK TO ISSUE BONDS AND NOTES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$3,500,000 FOR THE REPAIR AND RENOVATION OF PARKS AND RECREATIONAL FACILITIES

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

#### 17 2006-H 7998

**BY Flaherty** 

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF WARWICK TO ISSUE BONDS AND NOTES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$2,000,000 FOR THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF A FIRE STATION IN THE POTOWOMUT SECTION OF THE CITY OF WARWICK

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

#### 18 2006-H 8097

**BY Shanley** 

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF SOUTH KINGSTOWN TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION OF LAND FOR OPEN SPACE, RECREATION AND AGRICULTURAL PURPOSES AND TO ISSUE

NOT MORE THAN \$3,000,000 BONDS THEREFOR

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

#### 19 2006-H 8096

**BY Shanley** 

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF SOUTH KINGSTOWN TO FINANCE CAPITAL TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS AND TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$400,000 BONDS THEREFOR

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

#### 20 2006-H 8095

**BY Shanley** 

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF SOUTH KINGSTOWN TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION OF LAND AND/OR CONSTRUCTION OF A COMMUNITY GYMNASIUM AND TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$1,600,000 BONDS THEREFOR

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

#### 21 2006-H 8094

**BY Shanley** 

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF SOUTH KINGSTOWN TO FINANCE NEIGHBORHOOD GUILD IMPROVEMENTS AND TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$1,000,000 BONDS THEREFOR

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

# 22 2006-H 7985

BY Coderre E

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF THE SEWER AND SANITATION SYSTEM IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$300,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

#### 23 <u>2006-H 6976 SUB A</u>

BY Church

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

#### 24 2006-H 7194 SUB A

BY Pacheco

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PASCOAG UTILITY DISTRICT

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

#### 25 2006-H 7982 SUB A

**BY Coderre E** 

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF AN ANIMAL SHELTER IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

#### 26 2006-H 7983 SUB A

BY Coderre E

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF STREETS AND SIDEWALKS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

#### 27 <u>2006-H 7987 SUB A</u>

BY Coderre E

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPROVEMENT AND REPLACEMENT OF TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE

ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

#### 28 2006-H 7984 SUB A

BY Coderre E

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDINGS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$3,000,000 BONDS, NOTES AND OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

#### 29 2006-H 7986 SUB A

BY Coderre E

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND RECONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPINGOF PUBLIC RECREATION FACILITIES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$600,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

#### 30 2006-H 7981 SUB A

BY Coderre E

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND IMPROVEMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$700,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

#### 31 2006-S 3023

**BY Doyle** 

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND IMPROVEMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT

MORE THAN \$700,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

#### 32 2006-S 3026

**BY Dovle** 

**ENTITLED.** AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF AN ANIMAL SHELTER IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

#### 33 <u>2006-S 3027</u>

**BY Dovle** 

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF STREETS AND SIDEWALKS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

#### 34 2006-S 3024

**BY Dovle** 

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDINGS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$3,000,000 BONDS, NOTES AND OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

#### 35 2006-S 3025 as amended

**BY Doyle** 

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPROVEMENT AND REPLACEMENT OF TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

#### 36 <u>2006-S 3022</u> as amended

**BY Dovle** 

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND RECONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPINGOF PUBLIC RECREATION FACILITIES IN THE CITY OFPAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$600,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008

Committee on Finance recommends passage as amended in concurrence.

#### 37 2006-S 3021

**BY Dovle** 

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION OF BRIDGES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2007 AND 2008

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

#### 38 <u>2006-S 3044</u>

**BY Revens** 

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF WARWICK TO ISSUE BONDS AND NOTES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$3,500,000 FOR THE REPAIR AND RENOVATION OF PARKS AND RECREATIONAL FACILITIES

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

#### 39 2006-S 3043

**BY Revens** 

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF WARWICK TO ISSUE BONDS AND NOTES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$2,000,000 FOR OPEN SPACE PURPOSES

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

# 40 <u>2006-S 3042</u>

**BY Revens** 

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF WARWICK TO ISSUE BONDS AND NOTES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$2,000,000 FOR THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF A FIRE STATION IN THE POTOWOMUT SECTION OF THE CITY OF WARWICK

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

#### 41 <u>2006-S 2993</u>

**BY Doyle** 

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PAWTUCKET

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

#### **IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 24, 2006:**

#### 1 <u>2006-H 7395 SUB A</u>

**BY Schadone** 

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS -- CONFIDENTIALITY OF HEALTH CARE COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Francis P. McCabe
Clerk of the House

**Tuesday, May 16, 2006**